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Practice Test



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A- Language Functions

1 Finish the following dialogue: (4 Marks)

A man is buying a ticket at a train station.

Man : Good morning. ①

Assistant : To Luxor ? Of course. ②

Man : A return, please . I'm coming back on Tuesday.

Assistant : That's LE100. The next train leaves in 30 minutes.

Man : ③

Assistant : The train leaves from platform 2.

Man : ④

2 Write what you would say in each of the following situations: (3 Marks)

① You have just finished the hardest test that you have ever done. Your mother asks you how the test was.

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② You are taking a bus from Cairo to Alexandria. You want to know how long you will spend on the bus.

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③ You wanted to go to the beach today, but your parents say that it is too windy.

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B) Reading Comprehension

3 Read the following, then answer the Questions: (5 Marks)

Hi Ragab

I am very sorry that I didn't come to your house yesterday. I'll tell you why. I left home to catch the bus at four o'clock. The bus broke down and did not arrive, so I waited for the next one, which was at half past four. The bus arrived, but before I got on the bus, an old man came out of a shop. He was carrying some heavy bags. The bus driver told me to help him with his bags. He thought that the man wanted to get on the bus. I offered to help him, but he asked me to carry the bags to his car. I carried his bags and put them in his car *boot*. I did not catch the bus at half past four. I was too late to go to your house so I didn't wait for the five o'clock bus. I was not happy when I got home, but my father told me that I was kind to help the old man.

Best wishes

Taha.

A) Answer the following questions :

1. Why didn't Taha catch the bus at four o'clock?

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2. Why do you think that the bus driver did not wait for Taha?

★

3. Why was Taha not happy when he went home?

★

B) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d :

4. What does the underlined word one refer to?

a. Ragab's house b. Taha's house c. the next bus d. the bus at five o'clock

5. What do you think the word boot means?

a. a space for bags in a car b. a kind of boat c. a kind of car d. a place to keep cars

C) The Reader**4 A. Match the items in column a with those in column b: (2 Marks)****A****B**

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| 1- Black Beauty | () a. liked the latest fashion. |
| 2-Ginger | () b. was the horse Lady Anne liked to ride. |
| 3-York | () c. said, "if they don't tighten the reins more,I will do what they ask me." |
| 4-Lady Smythe | () d. was much smaller than Earl Smythe's house at Earlshall Park. |
| | () e. was Earl Smythe's helper. |

B . Answer the following Questions: (5 Marks)

1. In what ways was Earlshall Park better than Birtwick Park?

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2. Why did Lady Smythe use special reins to keep the horses' heads held high?

☆

3. Why was it very difficult for the horses to pull a carriage up a hill?

☆

4. Do you think that Ginger was right to start to kick? Why / Why not?

☆

5. How do we know that York cared about Ginger and Black Beauty?

☆

D- Usage and Writing**5 Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d: (3 Marks)**

1. Ayten told me she..... early the next day on a trip.

a. is leaving b. left c.was leaving d. will leave

2. Mona looks very happy. She..... done well in the exam.

a. mustn't have b. must have c. can't have d.should have

3. The teacher asked us..... talk.

a. don't b. not c. not to d.no

4. What is the..... of the number 10 bus?

a. arrival b. destination c. meeting d.stop

5. Some students work in the holidays to..... some money.

a. spend b.lose c.give d.earn

6. Egypt can be hot in August.

a. special b. excellent c. especially d. specialised

6 Rewrite the following using the words in brackets to give the same meaning: (3 Marks)

1 "Stand up, please," the teacher said to Ali. (ordered)

☆

2 Sami didn't come to the party. No one invited him. (can't)

☆

3 Amr's arm hurts. Perhaps he broke it. (might)

☆

7 Write a paragraph of seven (7) sentences on one of the following: (5Marks)

☞ some useful advice a teacher or friend has given you.

☞ the importance of vocational schools.

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A- Language Functions

① Finish the following dialogue: (4 Marks)

Nevine and Lamia are at the ticket office of a museum.

Assistant : Unfortunately, the museum is closed today.

Nevine : Oh no. ①! I didn't know that.

Assistant : Didn't you look at the website? It has all the times there.

Lamia : I'll look next time. ②

Assistant : You can come on any other day, although don't come on Saturday.

Lamia : ③?

Assistant : Because It's difficult to see things because there are so many people !

Lamia : ④

Assistant : Tomorrow is perfect.

② Write what you would say in each of the following situations: (3 Marks)

① You visited England in the winter. It was the coldest place that you have been. A friend asks you what the weather was like.

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② You want to book a ticket for the train from Cairo to Luxor. You are coming back on Thursday.

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③ You see a news report about poor people who live in Asia. You would like to be able to help them.

☆

B- Reading Comprehension

③ Read the following, then answer the Questions: (5 Marks)

In the last few years, I have travelled on some of the world's longest train journeys. First, I went on the longest train journey in the world. Taking nearly a week, it goes from Moscow to the east of Russia. My mother thought that I would be bored, but I loved it. Then a friend advised me to take the train from Shanghai to Lhasa in China. It takes about two days. People warned me that the train goes incredibly high into the mountains and it can be difficult to breathe, but I had no problems. Finally, I travelled in Australia from Perth to Sydney. Taking the world's straightest railway for four days was *unforgettable*. I travelled on my own. However, I have encouraged some of my friends to come with me next time.

A) Answer the following questions :

1. How long is the world's longest train journey?

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2. Why do you think that his mother thought he would be bored?

☆

3. What does the underlined word it refer to?

☆

B) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d :

4. What do you think the word unforgettable means ?

a. easy to remember

b. easy to forget

c. boring

d. not nice

5. This passage is about

a. the journey from Moscow to the east of Russia

b. train journeys

c. the trouble with travelling

d. the journey in Australia

C- The Reader

④ A. Match the items in column a with those in column b: (2 Marks)

A**B**

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| 1- Black Beauty | () a. was accused of stealing the horses' food |
| 2-Mr Barry | () b. suggested buying good food for Black Beauty for a few weeks. |
| 3-Mr Barry's friend | () c. said, "If they cannot pull a carriage, we must sell them." |
| 4-Filcher | () d. was a rich man who bought Black Beauty. |
| | () e. was taken to a market for horses. |

B . Answer the following Questions: (5 Marks)

1. What was the problem with the reins that Lady Smythe wanted the horses to wear?
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2. How did Ginger and Black Beauty become hurt?
☆
3. Do you think that Black Beauty was angry with Ginger because he was hurt? Why / Why not?
☆
4. What did Filcher do with Black Beauty's food?
☆
5. Why do you think that Earl Smythe said that he might not get much money for Ginger?
☆

D- Usage and Writing**5 Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d: (3 Marks)**

1. The train to Damiettaat ten past eleven.
a. leave b. leaves c. leaving d. will
2. Youseen Omar at school yesterday. You sat next to him!
a. might have b. shouldn't have c. might not have d. must have
3. I encouraged my younger brother..... hard.
a. to work b. work c. works d. working
4. We didn't have much money so we bought..... class tickets
a. first b. express c. stopping d. economy
5. It is said that some people becometo computer games.
a. upset b. successful c. addicted d. hard
6. My uncle is the..... of a factory. He gives instructions to the workers.
a. captain b. manager c. mechanic d. secretary

6 Rewrite the following using the words in brackets to give the same meaning: (3 Marks)

1. It is not possible that you saw Mona yesterday. She is in England. (can't)
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2. "Look out, Ahmed ! A car is coming," Nabil said. (warned)
☆
3. I tried the fish at the restaurant, but I regret it. (shouldn't)
☆

7 Write an email of Seven (7) sentences on one of the following: (5Marks)

- ① You were planning to meet your friends an hour ago, but they haven't arrived. What do you think might, must or couldn't have happened?
- ② a situation when someone tried to persuade you to do something but you refused.

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A- Language Functions

① Finish the following dialogue: (4 Marks)

Some students are asking a scientist about space.

Noha: ① ?

Scientist Yes, of course. The earth turns at about 1,670 kilometres an hour.

Ola: ②

Scientist: No, but most of them do have moons.

Noha: What did you ask the scientist, Ola?

Ola: ③

Maya: There are many things that nobody knows about space. Do you agree?

Scientist: ④ However, we are trying to learn more!

② Write what you would say in each of the following situations: (3 Marks)

① You would like to ask a teacher when he / she started working at the school.

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② A friend says that he/she thinks that the last lesson was the most interesting that you have had. ☆

③ A friend starts to read you an interesting new story, but then suddenly stops.

☆

B- Reading Comprehension

③ Read the following, then answer the Questions: (5 Marks)

Mars has been studied for hundreds of years. Astronomers say that it is the planet which is most like the earth. A day on Mars is nearly the same as it is on earth. It lasts for 24 hours and 39 minutes. However, a year lasts for one year and 320 days, so a year on Mars is almost twice as long as a year on earth. If you looked at Mars through a telescope, you might see a very big mountain. It is more than 20 kilometres high. That is three times as big as Everest! Scientists say that if you went to Mars, you might find water under the **surface**. However, living on Mars would not be easy. In summer, the temperature is usually minus 5° C and in winter it can be minus 82° C!

A) Answer the following questions :

1. What is the main idea of this passage? ☆

2. What do scientists think might be on the planet Mars that people could use?

☆

3. Can you think of three reasons why it would not be possible to live on Mars?

☆

B) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d :

4. What does the underlined word it refer to?

a. Mars b. a day on Mars c. a year on earth d. a year on Mars

5. What do you think that the word **surface** means?

a. the sea b. the clouds c. the top of the ground d. the biggest rivers

C- The Reader

④ A. Match the items in column a with those in column b: (2 Marks)

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| 1. Jerry Barker | () a. always helped to look after Black Beauty and worked hard. |
| 2. Captain | () b. was the best owner and a kind taxi driver. |
| 3. Jerry's son, Harry | () c. was the horse that went out with the taxi carriage in the morning. |
| 4. Black Beauty | () d. examined Black Beauty carefully. |
| | () e. was pleased with his new owner. |

B. Answer the following Questions: (5 Marks)

1. What did Black Beauty find difficult about his first few days in London?
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2. Why did Black Beauty think that Jerry was the best owner he had had?
★
3. Why did Black Beauty feel sorry for some of the taxi drivers and their horses?
★
4. Why do you think that each of Ginger's owners paid less money for her?
★
5. Do you think that people were always happy to have Jerry as a taxi driver? Why?/Why not?
★

D- Usage and Writing**5 Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d: (3 Marks)**

1. Ola asked meall the people in my family were tall.
a that b what c if d weather
2. I've cleaned the kitchen, but the bedroomscleaned yet.
a haven't been b has not been c have been d wasn't
3. If we went to the beach, we..... swimming.
a will go b have gone c could go d won't go
4. The teacher wanted us to..... how the earth goes around the sun.
a explain b advise c regret d control
5. The canal is not natural. It is.....
a made b man-made c build d building
6. The shop isfor a new assistant. Perhaps Manal can work there.
a investing b writing c arranging d advertising

6 Rewrite the following using the words in brackets to give the same meaning: (3 Marks)

- 1 "You must stop smoking!" the doctor said to Hatem. (advised)
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- 2 "What is the fastest way to Capital Bank?" (I asked)
★
- 3 I liked the book a lot, so I decided to read it again. (reread)
★

7 Write an email of seven (7) sentences to a friend who wants to know about one of the following: (5Marks)

- 📧 social networking sites.
- 📧 how your school has changed over the past few years.

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A- Language Functions

① Finish the following dialogue: (4 Marks)

A basketball player is visiting a school.

Teacher : Today, a famous basketball player is visiting our school. This is Captain Tarek. ①

Captain Tarek: Of course. What questions would the students like to ask?

Ali : My friends say that I will never be good at basketball because I'm not very tall. Is that right?

Captain Tarek: ② You don't have to be tall. When I started playing , I was one of the smallest boys in the class!

Basel : ③

Captain Tarek: I became the best basketball player in the class because I always trained very hard.

Basel : Do you think one day I might be as good as you?

Captain Tarek: ④!

② Write what you would say in each of the following situations: (3 Marks)

1. You would like to ask a teacher to explain why it is colder in the winter than in the summer.

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2. You think that this lesson is very interesting. You want to know what your friend thinks of it. ☆

3. A friend tells you that he / she had an interesting morning. First, he / she went to the park. You want to know more.

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B- Reading Comprehension

③ Read the following, then answer the Questions: (5 Marks)

A tourist has been found after spending five days in the desert. He went for a walk and must have got lost. He was **delighted** when a farmer found him.

The farmer gave him water and told him that he should have taken a phone and lots of water into the desert. Then the farmer took him to a hospital. When he got there, a doctor advised him to sleep and drink lots of water, but said that he was not hurt.

We interviewed the tourist when he got home. He asked us to thank the farmer and the doctors. He said that if he went to the desert again, he would be much more careful.

A) Answer the following questions :

1. What happened to the tourist when he went for a walk?

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2. Why do you think the farmer said that he should have taken a phone?

☆

3. What did the doctor say that the tourist should do?

☆

B) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d :

4. What do you think the word **delighted** means?

a very sad

b very thirsty

c very happy

d very ill

5. What does the underlined word there refer to?

a the desert

b the farm

c the hospital

d the man's home

C- The Reader

4 A. Match the items in column a with those in column b: (2 Marks)

A	B
1. Polly	() a. believed that a pound wouldn't help if it made the horse tired.
2. Ginger	() b. was given food before walking for many kilometres.
3. Jerry	() c. was Jerry's wife.
4. Black Beauty	() d. wasn't able to run very fast after the fall.
	() e. was Jerry's son.

B. Answer the following Questions: (5 Marks)

1. How did Jerry describe Black Beauty to his daughter?

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2. Why did Black Beauty stop finding it difficult to pull a taxi in London?

☆

3. Why do you think that Jerry took Captain to work on Black Beauty's first morning in London? ☆

☆

4. Why did Ginger stop kicking people who weren't good to her?

☆

5. How do we know that Jerry was a kind man?

☆

D- Usage and Writing**5 Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d: (3 Marks)**

1. Ahmed asked me whatdoing yesterday at four o'clock.

a was I b I was c am I d I am

2. Some beautiful flowers..... planted outside the school.

a has been b was c have been d have

3. If you visited the zoo on Friday, it..... very busy.

a is b might have c would have d might be

4. This email asks for my computer password. It must be a

a score b skin c scam d scan

5. My brother broke his phone and needs someone to..... it.

a make b explain c repair d report

6. It is hot today. It must be about forty..... .

a degrees b dots c metres d marks

6 Rewrite the following using the words in brackets to give the same meaning: (3 Marks)

1. Perhaps if we see the teacher, she can help us with our homework. (might)

☆

2. What's the name of the biggest city in England? (like to know)

☆

3. They didn't like the colour of the house, so they decided to paint it again with a different colour. (repaint)

☆

7 Write a paragraph of Seven (7) sentences on one of the following: (5Marks)

☺ someone you have interviewed

☺ one of the ancient or modern wonders of the world

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A- Language Functions

1 Finish the following dialogue: (4 Marks)

Amal and Lamia are talking about a man's journey along the Nile.

Amal: In the news, it says that a man has walked all the way along the Nile.

Lamia: Yes, I heard about this. It's unusual! ①

Amal: He did it because he wanted to see if it was possible.

Lamia: I heard that at the beginning of the journey, he was very ill, but ②

Amal: That's good. ③

Lamia: Yes, he said he would. It will probably be a very interesting journal to read.

Amal: ④

2 Write what you would say in each of the following situations: (3 Marks)

① Your friend asks you when your father was born. You aren't sure, but you give an answer.

☆

② You hear that a tourist was lost in the desert, but that he has just been found.

☆

③ You hear that scientists have found a new medicine which will help many people.

☆

B- Reading Comprehension

3 Read the following, then answer the Questions: (5 Marks)

If you go to some places in Asia, you might see some amazing snakes which can fly! Scientists have asked why they do this. The answer is that it is easier for the snakes to travel this way because they live in an area full of tall trees. If they didn't fly, they would have to go down one tree and then climb up the next one. It is much easier and quicker for them to jump from one tree and fly to the next. The snakes can fly about 24 metres at ten metres a second. How do they do this? Scientists now know that the snakes put their bodies in the shape of an S and move very slowly. If the scientists hadn't used digital cameras to film them in slow motion, we might never have known this.

A) Answer the following questions:

1. What is unusual about some of the snakes in Asia? ☆

2. Why don't the snakes climb down one tree and climb up the next?

☆

3. Why do you think that the scientists studied the snakes?

☆

B) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d:

4. The expression in slow motion means watching something .

a. more slowly than usual b. faster than usual c. very carefully d. in a laboratory

5. What does the underlined word this refer to?

a. why snakes fly b. where snakes live c. what snakes eat d. how snakes fly

C- The Reader

4 A. Match the items in column a with those in column b: (2 Marks)

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1. The doctor	() a. had easier work in the end.
2. Skinner	() b. took Black Beauty to a large field to give him good food.
3. Mr Thoroughgood	() c. had no problems all his life.
4. Black Beauty	() d. was also a taxi driver.
	() e. told Jerry that he should stop driving a taxi.

B. Answer the following Questions: (5 Marks)

1. Why were holidays not always an easy time for taxi drivers?

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2. What happened to Jerry when he had to wait outside the house of a rich man?

☆

3. Why did Polly write to Mrs Fowler?

☆

4. Why do you think that Skinner told the girl not to worry after she said that Black Beauty looked too weak to carry their bags?

☆

5. Why do you think that Black Beauty was sold at the part of the market where the horses were old or ill-looking?

☆

D- Usage and Writing**6 Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d: (3 Marks)**

1. If Osama had got the job at the bank, he..... travelled a lot.

a. will have b. would c. had d. would have

2. If we see Ali, we ask him to phone you.

a. would b. would have c. will d. do

3. The river was very dry because it for two months.

a. doesn't rain b. rained c. had not rained d. has not rained

4. Don't be! You have already eaten a big ice cream.

a. honest b. greedy c. hardworking d. kind

5. The came from space and landed in the sea.

a. mountain b. minaret c. meteorite d. monument

6. The showed us how to dive under water.

a. hero b. interviewer c. instructor d. inventor

6 Rewrite the following using the words in brackets to give the same meaning: (3 Marks)

1. I'm not sure where Tarek is. Perhaps he's in the park. (might)

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2. Do you have as much water as you need? (enough)

☆

3. I didn't recognise your cousin so I didn't say hello. (if)

☆

7 Write a paragraph of Seven (7) sentences on one of the following: (5Marks)

☺ a visit to the Red Sea

☹ an animal that you like

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A- Language Functions

① Finish the following dialogue: (4 Marks)

Fawzy and Mazin are speaking about a dangerous hobby.

Fawzy: Look at this photograph in the magazine: A man is standing on top of a very tall building.

Mazin: Really? ①.....?

Fawzy: The magazine says it's his hobby.

Mazin: ②.....?

Fawzy: I couldn't agree with you more. The police should stop him.

Mazin: ③.....?

Fawzy: It also says that the police arrested him.

Mazin: ④.....?

② Write what you would say in each of the following situations: (3 Marks)

1. Your parents say that they are taking you to the beach tomorrow.

☆.....

2. You see people leaving rubbish on a beach.

☆.....

3. A friend tells you that you have won a prize.

☆.....

B- Reading Comprehension

③ Read the following, then answer the Questions: (5 Marks)

Hi Osama,

You told me to ask my father what problems he had had in his life. He said that when he was 20, he had an accident in the desert when he had driven all night. When he was 24, someone took all his money when he travelled to London. If he hadn't travelled to Brazil when he was 30, he wouldn't have been **bitten** by a snake and spent a day in hospital! So I asked him if he wished he hadn't done these things.

"No, I don't regret anything!" he said. "Remember that it is not what you do that you regret, but what you don't do." I will remember that advice. Tell me what your father says!

Best wishes,

Karim

A) Answer the following questions :

1. Where did Karim's father have an accident?

☆.....

2. Did many good or many bad things happen to his father?

☆.....

3. Do you agree with his father's advice? Why? / Why not?

☆.....

B) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d :

4. What do you think the word **bitten** means?

a cut into by teeth

b followed

c frightened

d hit

5. What do the underlined words these things refer to?

a his travelling

b boring events

c different places

d hospitals

C- The Reader

④ A. Match the items in column a with those in column b: (2 Marks)

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1. Jerry
2. Black Beauty
3. Joe Green
4. Skinner

B

- () a. stopped working because the vet said he broke his leg.
- () b. did not give Black Beauty enough to eat.
- () c. recognised Black Beauty from his white foot and white star.
- () d. became healthy again after Mr Thoroughgood and his grandson looked after him.
- () e. moved to a cottage with his family so that he could work for Mrs Fowler.

B . Answer the following Questions: (5 Marks)

1. Why do you think that Jerry became ill?
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2. Why do you think that Black Beauty was worried when Jerry found work with Mrs Fowler?
☆
3. Who was Skinner and why was he a bad owner?
☆
4. What happened when Black Beauty tried to pull the carriage up a hill?
☆
5. Why didn't Black Beauty recognise Joe Green at first?
☆

D- Usage and Writing**5 Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d: (3 Marks)**

1. If Leila had more free time, she read more books in English.
a would b would have c will d must
2. If I that he was famous, I would have taken a photograph of him.
a knew b know c had known d was knowing
3. What before you played tennis?
a you eat b you ate c you had eaten d had you eaten
4. How many eggs do the farmer's chickens..... each day?
a lie b give c lay d put
5. People have used to make cups for hundreds of years.
a stone b clay c straw d sticks
6. This book is..... . I don't want to read it any more.
a special b excellent c terrible d greedy

6 Rewrite the following using the words in brackets to give the same meaning: (3 Marks)

1. If I see Sayed, perhaps I'll ask him to help me with my homework. (might)
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2. I can't wait to go to the museum tomorrow. (look forward)
☆
3. I was ill, so I didn't go to work. (If)
☆

7 Write a paragraph of Seven (7) sentences on one of the following: (5Marks)

🐾 animals that lived in the past

🐾 a story with a moral

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